

CRIPPLE CREEK'S BIG RECORD.

PRODUCED NEARLY 714,000 TONS OF ORE LAST YEAR.

Marked Increase Over the Previous Twelve Months—Tish Shows Increase of Over 10 Per Cent. for the Year—Copper There the Feature—Arizona's Product.

CORONADO SPRINGS, Col., Dec. 29.—The Cripple Creek 1905 production follows:

Month	Tons	Amount
January	62,000	\$1,800,000
February	68,000	\$1,850,000
March	68,000	\$1,850,000
April	61,000	\$1,800,000
May	69,000	\$1,850,000
June	68,000	\$1,850,000
July	68,000	\$1,850,000
August	69,000	\$1,850,000
September	68,000	\$1,850,000
October	68,000	\$1,850,000
November	61,000	\$1,800,000
December	62,000	\$1,800,000
Totals	713,912	\$2,228,174

The total shows a marked increase over the record for 1904. The product has been regulated by the capacity of mills and smelters to treat the ore rather than by extraction or shipping.

During the year there have been temporary closings of plants for repairs or enlargement, thus cutting down the product. Much of the ore has been treated by the cyanide process and was lost.

The dividend record for the year approximates \$2,200,000. Of this amount the Portland paid \$200,000, thus leaving all other public companies. One day this month \$200,000 was disbursed in dividends, but this included \$200,000 which the Theresa company realized from the sale of its property. Disbursements were made prior to retiring from business. The Victor, Findlay, Strong, Golden Cycle, El Paso, Stratton's Independence, Mary McKinney, Elton and half a dozen others contributed the main part of the dividend.

Cripple Creek's total production to date is near the \$100,000,000 mark. Of this amount a little more than a third has been paid out in dividends.

A noteworthy feature of Cripple Creek mining this year has been the production of a number of new payable mines and the production of the process into the other mills, treating ore, and as much as \$300,000. The old Telluride broomstick mill, recently purchased by the Golden Cycle company, will be converted into a payable plant of 500 tons daily capacity at a cost of \$100,000. This plant is winning its way in economical mining at Cripple Creek as well as elsewhere throughout the district.

Another feature of mining has been the industrial boom that has prevailed nearly all year. Disbursements due to the district from union to non-union labor check-off development at the district level has been \$1,000,000. The boom generally is now prosperous beyond precedent.

In 1906 the second general drainage tunnel will doubtless be constructed at \$500,000 cost. This will lower the water level 300 feet or more below what it now is, and will open up untold possibilities in the great mineral heart of the camp.

Throughout Colorado the same growth has been made during 1905. The total production and dividend results will be the largest in the State's history.

Silver, copper, lead and zinc will figure prominently in the year's mineral production.

UTAH.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 26.—Flourish production of Utah's copper for 1905 is shown by reports from the mines and smelters of the State, as follows:

Company	1905 Production	1904 Production
Copper	57,785 tons	47,000 tons
Gold	30,000 oz.	20,000 oz.
Silver	1,000,000 lbs.	800,000 lbs.
Quicksilver	1,000 lbs.	800 lbs.
Grand total	\$2,000,000	\$1,500,000

Increase for 1905.....\$500,000

Price of copper, 1905.....\$1.00 per lb.

Bingham furnished the greatest increase. This was due principally to the addition of the Boston Consolidated, the Utah Copper company and the Utah Consolidated, the latter of which is the largest of the group.

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Sale of Corsets.
On January the 2nd, 1906.

C. B. "a la Spirite" Corsets.
New models with high bust and dip hip for average figures. High bust and short hip for slender figures and models for well developed figures.

Made of fine Batiste, Coutil and fancy Broche.

1.45
value 3.50 to 4.50

C. B. "a la Spirite" Corsets.
New models for every type of figure. Filled with real whalebone. Made of plain or fancy silk Batiste and heavy Broche.

1.85
value 3.75 to 5.00

C. B. "a la Spirite" Corsets.
Numerous models. Filled with real whalebone. Made of silk Batiste, Coutil and heavy Broche. Hand finished.

2.85
value 4.50 to 6.00

Augustine Coutil Corset.
High bust and dip hip model for average figures. Hose supporters attached.

95c
value 3.00

Augustine Corset. Made of fine mercerized Batiste.
High bust and dip hip model with new tapering waist line. Stocking supporters attached.

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On January the 2nd, 1906.

Odd sizes of Ladies' Swiss ribbed Combination Suits, Tights, Drawers or Corset Covers, and Furley and Buttrum's English Merino Combination Suits and Vests.

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Annual sale of
Fine China, Dinner Sets
and Bric-a-brac.

Beginning on January the 2nd

Odd pieces—such as China Salad Bowls, Chocolate Pots, Chop Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Art Pottery, Marble Busts and Figures. Considerably below former prices.

Plates.

French China, Bread and Butter size...3.00 doz.

French China, various sizes...50c each

French China, Handsomely decorated 1.00 each

English China, Bread and Butter Plates 2.50 doz.

English China, richly designed, 10 inch 21.00 "

Bouillon Cups and Saucers. Fine English China...24.00 doz.

Tea Cups and Saucers...3.60 "

French China Chop Dish. Pink rosebud pattern with stippled gold edges...2.00 each

With heavy gold edges...4.00 "

Ramekin and Plates. Richly decorated 3.00 doz.

Cups and Saucers. Fine thin China...20c each

French China Dinner Sets. New patterns, 32.00 set

French China, open stock, Dinner Set...88.00 set

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Shirtwaists.

For Spring 1906.

Shirtwaists and bodices for every demand of dress, season or climate.

Tailor-made for travelling or golf dress,—of sheer fabrics and trimmed with lace, for afternoon wear.

Elaborately designed Bodices for demi-toilette, restaurant or matinee dress.

The models include—Chiffon Taffetas, Radium Taffetas, Royal Mouseline, Crepe de Chine, Lingerie Chiffon, French Batiste, French Lawn and sheer linens.

Finished with fine needlework—Irish Crochet, German Valenciennes, Point de Venise, Cluny and real Dutch lace.

The models are indicative of the fashions for the coming Spring season,—sleeves with the new high shoulder and elbow length have been termed "La Belle France," "Beau Brummel," and "Gloconda."

Commencing on January the 2nd, 1906.

Sale of 1000 French Mull Waists. Trimmed with fine laces. Latest models with elbow sleeves.

2.75 3.75 and 4.50 each

2000 Linen Waists. Embroidered by hand. Elbow sleeve model, tastefully trimmed.

2.75 and 4.50 each

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Annual Sale of Muslim Underwear

Beginning on Tuesday, January the 2nd.

Underclothing made of fine nainsook and cambric,—trimmed with the latest laces and embroideries. Attractive designs, well cut and finished.

New models in sets of underwear—Gowns, Chemises, Drawers, Corset Covers, Petticoats, "Matinee" Jackets, etc. Simple or elaborate Trousseau.

Chemises, Drawers, Corset Covers.

50c 75c 95c 1.25 each.

Night Robes and Walking Skirts.

75c 95c 1.25 1.50 1.75 each.

Bridal Sets...6.00 9.00 11.75 per set.

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Stern Brothers

Furs & Fur Garments

The Remainder of Imported Fur Coats, Neck-

scarfs, Muffs, Fur and Cloth Fur Lined Garments.

At Noteworthy Reductions.

Chinchilla Coat, full length, Formerly \$3500.00, \$1500.00

Blended Sable Coat, ¾ length, " 3000.00, 1200.00

Chinchilla Coat, Short Loose Model, " 1600.00, 975.00

Mink Box Coat, " 1250.00, 850.00

Persian Lamb Coats, \$95.00, 165.00, 195.00

French Seal Coats, 75.00, 165.00

Cloth Fur Lined Coats, 39.50, 50.00, 85.00, 135.00

Neckscarfs Flat Muffs

\$7.95 SQUIRREL \$8.00

11.50 ALASKA SABLE 11.50

12.00 PERSIAN LAMB 13.00

18.50 BLACK LYNX 19.50

Housekeeping Linens

Annual Sale at Greatly Reduced Prices.

DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS,

2x2 yds. \$1.85, 2.60, 3.25 2 ½x2 ½, 2.35, 3.25, 4.00

2x3 " 2.85, 3.95, 4.90 2 ½x2 ½, 3.38, 4.35, 5.50

2 ½x3 yds., \$4.25, 5.25, 6.50

NAPKINS (Breakfast Size, Doz. \$1.87, 2.50, 3.75

TO MATCH " Dinner " 2.90, 3.50, 4.75

BLEACHED TABLE DAMASKS, Yd. 88c, 1.00, 1.15

HEMSTITCHED DAMASK TRAY CLOTHS, 30c, 35c, 40c

LINEN SHEETS, Hemstitched, Pr. 3.90, 5.25, 6.50

LINEN PILLOW CASES, Hemstitched, " 1.00, 1.15, 1.45

HUCK Towels { Hemmed, Doz. \$2.00, 2.25, 3.00

{ Hemstitched, " 2.90, 4.20, 5.40

QUILTS { Crochet, Each 95c, 1.15, 1.35

{ Marseilles, " 1.88, 2.25, 2.75

ALSO A VERY DESIRABLE COLLECTION OF LACE TRIMMED, HAND EMBROIDERED & DRAWN WORK RECEPTION, DINNER & TEA CLOTHS, CENTRE PIECES, DOYLIES, DRESSER SCARFS, LINEN SHEETS, PILLOW CASES, BED SPREADS, PILLOW SHAMS

Cloak Departments

The entire stock of Women's Outer Garments

will be offered January 2d and 3d, at

Remarkable Reductions.

Cloth Coats, at \$8.50, 12.50, 18.00, 22.50, 28.00

Reduced from \$14.00 to 60.00

Velour Paletots, at \$24.75

Reduced from \$40.00 and 55.00

Imported and Domestic

Evening Garments, \$30.00, 38.00, 45.00

Reduced from \$58.00 to 75.00

Also the Remainder of

High Class Imported Novelties, at \$65.00 to 110.00

Reduced from \$125.00 to 295.00

Women's Tailor-made Suits

Closing Out Sale

of This Season's Stock, in Broadcloths, Cheviots,